

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Akitaka KIMURA

Appln. No.: 10/537,489

Confirmation No.: 4630

Filed: June 3, 2005

For: SEMICONDUCTOR OPTICAL DEVICE HAVING QUANTUM WELL STRUCTURE
AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

Docket No: Q88348

Group Art Unit: 2814

Examiner: Abul Kalam

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This responds to the Restriction Requirement, dated October 1, 2007. In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group II, claims 11-15 for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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Respectfully submitted,

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